

Our Daily Bread

"Sliced Thin by The Editor"
—Alex. H. Washburn

There's Only One Answer for Violence

The current crisis over Russia's closing of the land corridor which links the Western Allies' garrison in Berlin to the rest of Western Europe is a perfect example of how the risk of war sometimes becomes inevitable even for the very nations that are working for peace.

I believe the record shows that Roosevelt at Yalta indicated certain Berlin concessions would be given the Russians, and Truman at Potsdam carried his predecessor's policy to conclusion. In return, the Western Allies were to maintain a corridor through which their Berlin troops and administrators could be supplied.

Russia has double-crossed the Western Allies, forbidding rail and highway transport to Berlin, and now threatening to blockade our emergency air supply shut out by throwing military planes in the way of heavily-laden freight ships.

It is an intolerable situation. Are Britain and the United States, which worked as much as any nations for the defeat of Germany, to let the capture of Berlin, now the German capital? Or will they back up our legal and just position by bringing up tanks, fighting planes and guns and men?

Either way there is a calculated risk of war. But it might as well be made later, for America is not going to put up with the intolerable uncertainty of a peace that can vanish overnight with the untimely firing of some sentry's gun.

Unless we stand up now for what we won at the cost of two world wars, there will be no uncertainty about a third war. We can always expect what we have surely asked for.

And as far as Russia is concerned—who is she to fight the world alone? And fight alone she will if she pushes the Western Allies into a shooting war.

On ECA, It Seems, Everybody's Out of Step Except Mr. Taber

By JAMES THRASHER

Those who can remember back to the early days of the ECA may recall a song called "They Were All Out of Step but Jim." Change the Jim to John and it might serve as a theme song for Representative Taber, chairman of the House Appropriations Committee and the man who will be carrying the ECA bill to the Senate.

That appropriation is the fruit of the Marshall Plan, the subject of 10 months' discussion, inspection, hearings and debate. Mr. Taber was in on all of it. He even took a quick trip to Europe and returned with the surprising news that there was no hunger abroad.

This was at variance with the findings of most of his colleagues who took a similar junket, as well as the findings of other visitors to Europe. But apparently the rest of the company was all out of step.

The money needed for foreign aid and the amount of aid to be given should be determined only after exhaustive inquiry. European governments told what they needed. The President and his advisers struck a new balance. They took a long look at the sharp and at this time, the war-torn world. The final figure decided on was no rubber stamp of anybody's dictation. It appeared to be a fair, intelligent and realistic compromise.

When a hay fool, straw foot—along came Mr. Taber. With the blessing of the House leadership, he started swinging the knife. When he got through a lot of people were up in arms, including many of his fellow Republicans.

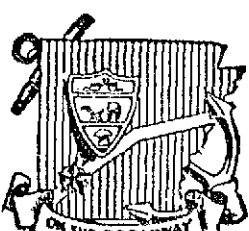
The quarter-amputated ECA appropriation bill went to the Senate. Secretary Marshall and ECA Director Hoffman repeated word for word, earlier testimony. Mr. Taber defended his cuts, and the State Department answered the defense in a public statement. The answer was that Mr. Taber must have been wrong. Generally, the figures for France, Italy and Germany are 42, 31 and 26 percent, in that order. In other words, pick the diet we want—a balanced diet of meats, vegetables, cereals, fruits, etc. But let's not add the European's restricted diet to contain more grain than ours, however little else he has to eat.

We would gather, from all the articles, discussions, debates, opinion polls, and so on, that Mr. Taber's views do not represent the prevailing American opinion. But that doesn't seem to bother him. They're all out of step but John.

Restoring Towers

Moscow—(AP)—Fifteen of the towers of the Kremlin have been restored and by autumn an announcement says, all thirteen towers will have been restored. Work is being carried on at present on the Troitsky, Spassky and Nikolsky towers. Only one tower—the midday arsenal—has not yet been touched.

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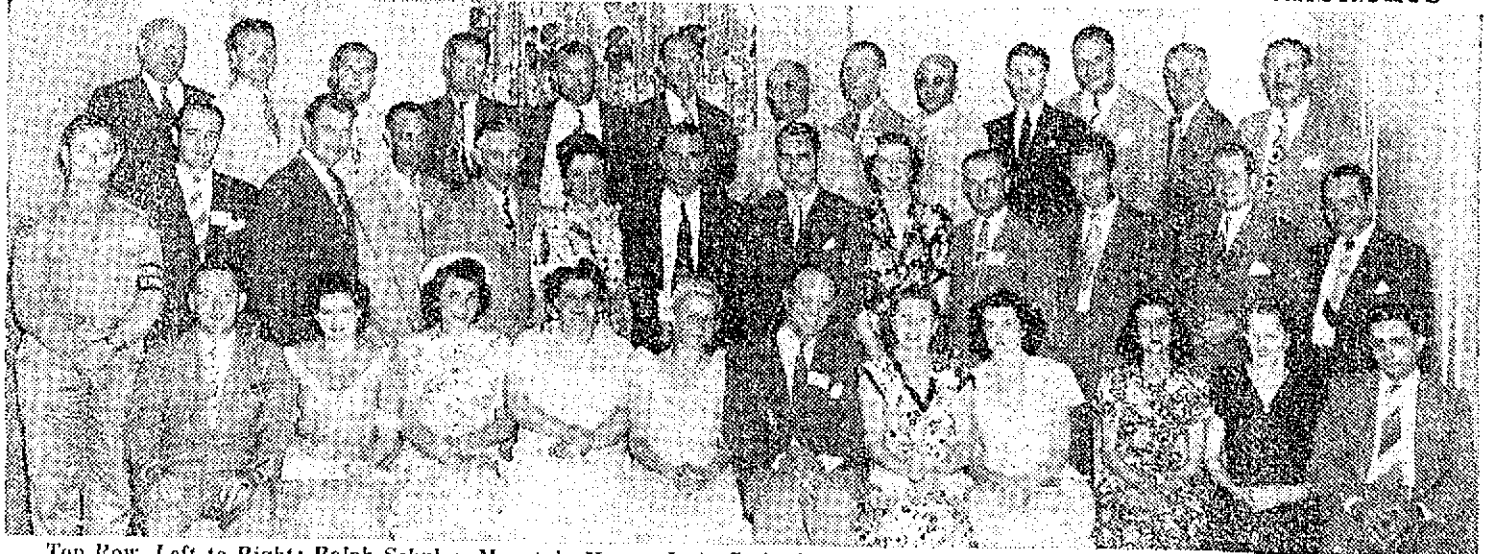
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Top Row, Left to Right: Ralph Schulze, Mountain Home; J. A. Craig, Prescott; W. E. Williamson, Magnolia; Sidney Ruby, Russellville; Jesse L. Owens, Texarkana; Elton Patterson, Jonesboro; Frank E. McAnear, Clarksville; J. H. Coleman, England; L. R. Green, W. Memphis; J. M. Seagins, Brinkley; B. D. Forsythe, Searcy; Bruce A. Williams, Bentonville; J. R. Langan, Forrest City.
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Fleming and McMath Urge School Aid

Little Rock, July 17 (UP)—The public school system of Arkansas held the political spotlight today, passing out for the time being the heated discussions of highway construction.

Carrying the ball for the school children and school teachers were gubernatorial candidates Charles A. Fleming of Forrest City and Sid McMath of Hot Springs.

In the first political rally in Little Rock, Fleming last night promised a minimum salary of \$2,400 a year for school teachers having degrees. He stressed the need for qualified teachers in Arkansas and proposed to raise their salaries by drawing money from state sinking funds.

Fleming also promised to provide \$30 a month for old age pensions, to build and repair state highways and to assist disabled World War II veterans.

He suggested that the most important roads in Arkansas be converted to national highways and to build more roads with surplus money in state sinking funds.

At Wynne last night, McMath condemned "the shameful way" in which the resources of Arkansas were being treated.

He declared that half of the children of high school age in Arkansas are not attending school because of a lack of facilities and teachers.

"That is shameful in view of the fact we have the intelligence and resources to provide our boys and girls with the kind of education they are entitled to have," the Hot Springs prosecutor declared. "And there is a candidate for governor in this campaign who would take money from the schools . . . and build roads with it."

McMath obviously was referring to candidate Frank Holt's proposal to borrow \$10,000,000 in state surplus funds to build highways.

He also deplored the old age pension payments in Arkansas and promised to increase them to an average of \$30 a month.

With the first of a little more than a week away, all candidates fanned out to carry their messages and promises to the Arkansas electorate.

Horace E. Thompson scheduled a busy day. He was to be at Fayette and Warren this morning, at Monticello this afternoon and at Benton for a statewide radio broadcast tonight. He promised to discuss how the state of Arkansas was going to pay for its highways.

Fleming planned a morning appearance at Clarksville and all-Continued on Page Two

Arabs, Jews Cease Firing in Jerusalem

Cairo, July 17 (AP)—Arabs and Jews ceased firing in Jerusalem today after a night of fighting, but the war went on elsewhere despite hopes of a new truce near for all Palestine.

Arab legion officers in Jerusalem said Jews died by the hundreds in the Holy City fighting during the night. The battle came to a halt a second before the United Nations deadline at 4 a. m. (9 p. m. Friday Eastern Standard Time.)

A Syrian communiqué said two Jewish planes raided Damascus without causing material damage.

Count Folke Bernadotte, the U. N. mediator, was headed back for Palestine, hopeful of bringing the war to an end.

Bernadotte, acting on the authority of the United Nations Security Council, has fixed Sunday night as the deadline for a truce.

Security council members were reported studying possible steps to enforce the order if the Arabs reject it. The Jews have announced willingness to accept a truce if the Arabs will do so.

Guns and mortars pounded ceaselessly throughout the night in Jerusalem like stormy waves on a rocky coast, but for hours after the cease-fire deadline, not a shot was heard. The Jews opened the attack last night from positions in the modern city, dispatches from the Arab-held old walls said.

They plastered the Arab-held old walls with more than 500 shells before dawn. The Arabs replied with artillery.

Before the artillery duel began, Arab troops had broken through the Jewish front in the Mea Shearim quarter and blasted forward for modern Jerusalem's heart. American correspondents with the Arab legion reported.

The Arabs occupied a strongly fortified police post in the quarter and demolished a second police station. Israel's northern command announced continued fighting in Nazareth by Arabs barricaded in monasteries and the police station.

The command announced cyber and old leaders of the shrine city signed surrender terms yesterday calling for the handing over of any remaining volunteers of Fawzi Al Kaukhi's army still there. The panic-stricken Arab refugees.

Watch Those Watches

Neuchâtel, Switzerland—(AP)—Demand for Swiss watches is expected to rise sharply as the Swiss Watch Manufacturers Association reports the Swiss watch industry is now against drawing funds, even optimistic conclusions for the future.

The threat of a civil war thus was met successfully, at least for the moment. And it is significant that it was checkmated in those especially dangerous early hours when passions were running high as the result of the assault on Togliatti.

That was Bolshevism's big moment—its last, it is necessary to say. Communization of Italy is one of Moscow's prime objectives, because the peninsula would be an invaluable base for the conquest of all western Europe and the Mediterranean.

Time alone will tell how great a disaster has been dealt to Italy in particular and democracy in general by the shooting of Togliatti. In the first place it convinced the world of democracy's invulnerability. But beyond that it came at a time when the fortunes of the powerful Communist party in Italy were on the decline. The Reds had taken a sound beating in the last general election, and their once strong grip on the throat of the anti-fascist nation was slipping.

Destroyer Shells Hills to Keep Greek Guerrillas From Kidnaping 'Olympic Flame'

Olympia, Greece, July 17 (UPI)—The traditional Olympic torch was kindled one hour behind schedule today and escorted by armed guards, runners started bearing it in relays to the London games.

Armored cars and guards escorted the torch to the ancient stadium here, where the kindling ceremony was held, and then an armed squad preceded the runners—guarding against guerrilla threats to "kidnap" the historic flame.

An 18-year-old youth from Pyrgos lit an olive branch from the rays of the sun reflected by a shining mirror. Children then carried the ancient torches lamp to the altar.

At the last minute officials eliminated the 15 children officials might try to grab the torch and carry it cross-country through Yugoslavia, instead of the Greek-planned overwater route.

The Olympia to Katakolon trip will be covered by 30 runners. The first runner will be Constantine Zimitrellis, a Greek commander here, who requested the honor.

First a brand will be lighted by using the rays of the sun magnified through a piece of glass. The brand will be carried to the altar of the temple here, and a fire lighted. Then Corp. Zimitrellis was to light his torch from the fire and start out on his run. Each of the 1,500 torches in the relay will light its torch from that of the preceding runner.

The torches will be used for the sea or British destroyers or frigates will also be used for the sea crossing from Greece to Italy and from France to England.

Gen. Meyers Kicked Out of the Army

Washington, July 17 (AP)—Benjamin E. Meyers, serving a jail sentence for inducing a business associate to lie to a Senate committee, was today cashiered from the army by President Truman.

The retired major general, once an air force purchasing officer, was dismissed late yesterday under an article of war which permits cashiering an officer who has served three months or more in a prison or penitentiary.

Meyers has been in a District of Columbia jail for four months. He was sentenced to a 20-month-to-five-year term after a federal jury charged him last March of talking Berlin's Lamare into giving false testimony to the Senate investigating committee about his connection with the Aviation Electric Company of Dayton, Ohio.

Lamare, changing his testimony, later told the senators he was merely "dummy" president of the firm, and that it actually was controlled by Meyers. The Senate investigators accused the former purchasing officer of making more than \$150,000 through his connection with the company.

Being dismissed from service is only one of the penalties Meyers has paid since his conviction on the charge of perjury. He was cashiered from the army last year. Previously, the army had stripped him of his decorations—the Distinguished Service Medal and the Legion of Honor.

Meyers still faces additional charges, including separate perjury charges in Baltimore and Dayton for income tax fraud.

Thornton Held to Be Sane; He Faces Trial for Murder

DeQueen, July 16 (AP)—The Arkansas State Hospital has declared Edward Thornton, 36, to be sane and capable of standing trial for the murder of a woman.

Italian Labor Urged to Quit Red Union

Rome, July 17 (AP)—Christian Democrat labor leaders called upon their fellow workers today to break away from the Communist-led Confederation of Italian Workers (CGIL) and form a new union.

Their action was aimed at the Communist labor bosses who plunged Italy into a disastrous 36-hour general strike Wednesday when they attempted assassination of Palmiro Togliatti, Italy's No. 1 Communist. Violence killed 10 Italians and wounded 200 before the CGIL yielded to government pressure and called off the strike.

Togliatti was given oxygen and passed last night to combat pneumonia which developed in his right lung after the removal of two bullets.

A hospital bulletin at 9 a. m. (3 a. m. CST) said Togliatti's condition was better after a quiet night. He said there was no danger of his death, but he was still recovering from the operation to remove two bullets.

The Christian Democrat labor leaders issued a call for a "Democratic and autonomous union, x x x free of all party influences."

They sent a sharp letter to the CGIL, a Communist-led union, charging it had violated the labor union's constitution.

The Christian Democrats called for a special meeting of labor leaders to discuss the CGIL's action. They urged all workers to organize an independent union "operating in a way to return the rights of labor."

Communist labor leaders reacted swiftly. They dispatched urgent appeals to workers to remain united and declared that it was distinctly a labor that gave rise to Fascism in Italy.

The government of Premier Alcide De Gasperi had announced it would seek to outlaw political strikes, such as that called by the CGIL in protest against the Togliatti assassination attempt.

This added to the pressure on the CGIL to call off the strike and the back to work movement was answered yesterday by many of Italy's laborers.

But in Milan, Turin and Genoa, Communist leaders kept their southern radicalized centers party in the McKenney home here.

Job-Holders in Middle in Political Row

Washington, July 17 (AP)—More than 900 federal job holders possibly including Chairman David E. Lilienthal of the Atomic Energy Commission—face an uncertain future today, caught in the cross-fire between President Truman and a hostile Congress.

The Senate made no move during the last session of Congress to confirm a long list of presidential appointments ranging from postmasters to federal judges.

The great bulk of these nominations ordinarily would become void on July 20—Thirty days after Congress closed shop with no intention of returning until December 31.

But Mr. Truman's call for a special session beginning July 26 will raise the whole question of appointments again. He is certain to fire almost the whole list right back at the Senate.

Mr. Truman also has made several interim appointments since adjournment. These must be re-submitted to the Senate if the session lasts as long as 40 days. Otherwise, if the appointments continue in office they do so without pay.

Among the top-flight nominations which have not had Senate approval are these:

James Boyd of Colorado, to be director of the Bureau of Mines; Thomas C. Buchanan of Pennsylvania, to the Federal Power Commission; Roy W. Harper of Missouri, to be a federal judge in that state; and, it appears, Lilienthal and four others as members of the Atomic Energy Commission.

An odd twist has developed in the re-appointment of the five atomic officials.

All have served on the commission since it started. A few months ago, President Truman re-nominated Lilienthal to a five-year term as director. The others were named for terms ranging from one to four years.

However, Republican leaders, saying the administration to be "deserting" Lilienthal, have not permitted to name him to the commission, pushed through by extending the terms of the commissioners only until June 30, 1950. President Truman signed that bill reluctantly.

But the measure did not name Lilienthal or his colleagues specifically. And their regular appointments expire August 1.

That may mean they will have to be re-nominated after that date if they are to continue in their jobs.

Mr. Truman also has had trouble with the appointment of his friend Roy W. Harper, former Missouri state Democratic chairman. Harper was appointed federal judge while Congress was in regular session last year, but he has not been approved.

The president has kept Harper in office with two interim appointments. The nomination was okayed in a 2-1 vote in a Senate judiciary subcommittee last month, but the full committee blocked it.

Union Quartet Sing Sunday at B. B. Methodist

There will be a union quartet singing at the B. B. Methodist church, North Hazel street, Hope, at 8 o'clock Sunday night. It was announced today.

It's Taps for Black Jack, the Man Who Led Americans Overseas in the First War

New York—(AP)—It's taps for Black Jack.

But the bugle that blows a final farewell for John J. Pershing, as he sinks to rest among his comrades at Arlington, has already rung a goodbye to the army and the world he knew.

For the American Army and the methods of war have changed. The slim, child-faced man who carried in 62 years of service, the highest military rank in American history symbolized the army of the past.

War Dead



Lt. Henry B. Citty

Lt. H. B. Citty Funeral at 2 Wednesday

Funeral services for the late Lt. H. B. Citty, who was killed in action in Italy September 22, 1943, will be held at St. Paul's church near Ozark at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, July 21.

The services will be conducted by the Rev. W. C. Lewis, with military rites by the Nashville post of the American Legion.

Lt. Citty was born near Fulton April 23, 1914, was graduated from Ashdown High School, and attended Henderson State Teachers College before joining the Arkansas National Guard, Hope unit. He served in Alaska with the 153rd Infantry, was commissioned at Fort Benning in January, 1943, and went overseas in March.

Besides his father, Dr. W. C. Citty of Mineral Springs, he is survived by three brothers, Floyd of New Mexico, Warner of El Paso, Texas, and Clifton of San Antonio; two sisters, Mrs. J. W. Gist of Prescott, and Mrs. Floyd Matthews of Ozark.

Oil and Gas Production Drops in May

El Dorado, July 17 (AP)—Arkansas' oil, condensate and natural gas production dropped considerably in May, as compared to April production.

The Arkansas Oil and Gas Commission reported the average crude oil and condensate production for May was 7,516,000 cubic feet, compared to 12,169,000 cubic feet in April.

Natural gas production from 27 fields of north central Arkansas averaged 7,516,000 cubic feet daily, compared to 12,169,000 cubic feet a day in April.

Eleven gasoline plants in south Arkansas processed an average of 148,196,000 cubic feet of gas daily in May, compared to 148,196,000 cubic feet in April. These plants manufactured 2,226 barrels of gasoline, 21,109 barrels of butane and propane and 167 barrels of condensate in May.

Six Arkansas refineries processed 47,991 barrels of crude oil daily. This was 4,105 barrels a day under the April average.

A slight increase was shown in production of gas from oil and condensate fields. May production totaled 172,368,000 cubic feet, compared to 172,250,000 in April.

Arkansas Is No. 2 State at Dallas Meet

Dallas, Texas, July 17—The State of Arkansas was represented by the second largest delegation attending the Southwestern Institute for Chamber of Commerce Executives, George Holland, president of the Arkansas Association of Commercial Organization Executives, announced here today at the close of the institute.

Holland congratulated the Secretaries and their Boards of Directors upon the "Enlightened interest in community advancement that Arkansas chambers showed in sending Chamber Managers to the Institute where the best methods in Chamber of Commerce Management were discussed by the most successful Chamber of Commerce Executives in the South-west."

Appearing on the program were representatives of the United States Chamber of Commerce, Chamber Managers and specialized Department Men, who discussed all phases of community problems. Those communities who have sent their Chamber Managers to this Institute, deserve to be commended," Holland said. "And there is no doubt but what they will be well-repaid through better Chamber Management and a more intelligent approach to their problems as a result of what their Managers have learned at this Institute."

Highway Death of Young Veteran at Princeton Probed

Fordey, July 16 (AP)—Police are investigating the death of a young World War II veteran who was found injured on highway 8 near Princeton Tuesday.

Russia Sure Allies Won't Risk War

By RICHARD KASISCHKE

Berlin, July 17 (AP)—The Russians sent out their greatest number of planes in recent days into the American and British air corridors between Berlin and western Germany. The Soviets said some of their aircraft would be on blind flying practice in the heavily-clouded skies.

At the same time the official Soviet press told the German people the United States would not dare to risk war to break the blockade of Berlin because the U. S. fears Russia and her allies are too powerful.

The sending up of Soviet planes into the air corridors was apparently part of the Soviet tactics of harassing the British and Americans in their attempt to break the Berlin blockade.

An American operations officer said the Russians had sent a variety of greater Soviet activity today in the corridors used by hundreds of American and British planes daily carrying supplies to the 2,000,000 residents of western Berlin.

That the move did not impede the British-American effort was seen in this statement of the operations officer: "Our planes, are coming to fast and furious."

The officer said they "served notice they would not be taken by surprise." He said that the planes were flying from early morning until 8 p. m. Berlin time, with some practicing instrument flying. The Russians had the training flights would be from nine a. m. to 5 p. m.

An editorial in Tasspeche Rundschau official Soviet mouthpiece, said that even western commentators conceded that it was a new wave of Soviet advance troops could reach the Rhine within a few days, and the European Atlantic coast within a few weeks.

The editorial said, in part: "Anyone who calmly and free from panic voices the desire to correctly judge the international situation can understand that at the present time there is no serious danger of war whatsoever."

"Even adventurous politicians of American imperialism should not risk starting a war because they know they would then have against them the people of Europe who want peace."

"American imperialists would not venture to do this, for they know that the forces of democracy are stronger today than the forces of imperialism." By the forces of democracy the Communists mean states with Communist-led governments.

The newspaper scoffed at "Berlin cafe tales" that Allied tank columns and squadrons of planes could be concentrated at Helmstedt, the British zone border point where the Russians have closed land transport lines to Berlin.

The Russian article appeared as Washington reports said that British and French governments are discussing the use of powerful means against Russia, including economic restrictions and the armament of convoys to open the road to Berlin.

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Social and Personal

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Social Calendar

Sunday, July 18
Mrs. Hugh Jones will be guest speaker at the Intermediate Sunday School Class of the First Baptist church Sunday morning.

Monday, July 19
The Fidelity Class of the First Baptist church will hold its annual picnic Monday, July 19 at the Fair park. All members and their families are invited to attend. Each member is asked to bring a picnic lunch.

Monday, July 19
The Women's Council of the First Baptist church will have its regular monthly business and missionary meeting at the church, Circle No. 2 will have charge of the mission.

Sunday, July 18
The Y.W.A. of the First Baptist church will meet Monday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Miss Betty Martin, Park Drive. All important business will be discussed. For transportation, call Jessie Clarke Brown, 342 Wanda Rugs, 768, or Betty Murphy, 261.

The Ladies Auxiliary of Garrett Memorial Baptist church will meet Monday at 2 p.m. at the church. Mrs. Wade Warren is president.

There will be a union service of the Circles of the W.S.C.S. of the First Methodist church in the basement of the church at 4 p.m. Monday.

Tuesday, July 20
The Ladies' Prayer meeting will be held at the First Pentecostal church Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Wednesday, July 21
There will be Choir Practice at the First Pentecostal church Wednesday, July 21 at 7:45 p.m.

Friday, July 23
The First Pentecostal church will have a Bible Study at the church Friday, July 23 at 7:45 p.m.

Miss Matilda McFaddin
Honored at Breakfast

Mrs. Kenneth Holland, Miss Paula Reardon and Miss Ruth Faulkner were hostesses at breakfast in the Barlow Hotel at 7 o'clock Saturday morning for the pleasure of Miss Matilda McFaddin, bride elect of George French Wynne.

The long table was covered with a white damask cloth and centered with a low crystal bowl of Shasta daisies. The honoree's place was marked with a band of shasta daisies for her hair. She was presented a lovely personal gift by the hostesses. Place cards of small white wedding bells were used.

The guest list included the honoree, Miss McFaddin; her mother, Mrs. E. F. McFaddin; Mrs. Ross Gillespie, the honoree's paternal grandmother; Mrs. Mitty McCammon, the maternal grandmother; Mrs. Lucille Dildy, Mrs. S. R. Twitty, the groom-elect's mother of Fordyce; Mrs. Ned Carus of Ft. Worth; Mrs. Thomas Wynne, of Fordyce; Miss Annette Morris; Miss Marie Scott; Miss Eleanor Morris; of England; Ark.; Miss Ann Hancock of Paragould; Mrs. B. C. Hyatt, Miss Agnes Wynne, sister of the groom; Miss CarAnne McDowell, Miss Polly Cole, Miss Mary Ross McFaddin and Miss Marcie McFaddin, sisters of the bride-elect of Little Rock.

Brownie Scout Troop No. 1
Enjoy Picnic and Hay Ride
The members of the Brownie Girl Scout Troop No. 1 under the direction of Mrs. Herbert Lewallen and Mrs. Hinton Davis enjoyed a picnic supper and hay ride on Friday evening from five-thirty to eight-thirty o'clock.

The picnic supper was served

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to fourteen members at the Fair park after which Mr. and Mrs. Olat Luck look the members on the hay ride. Those enjoying the occasion were: Misses Jan Robinson, Ethel Ann Wilkes, Linda Halbert, Carolyn Lewallen, Carolyn Story, Ann Adams, Betty Rose Luck, Susan Davis, Barbara Ann Grinn, Judy Robbins, Ginnane Green, Caroline Cox, Judy Franks, and Genny Herndon.

Mrs. R. D. Franklin
Entertains with Bridge

Mrs. R. D. Franklin entertained with bridge at her home on South Main Street Thursday afternoon at two-thirty o'clock for the pleasure of Mrs. B. C. Connolly of Marion, Indiana.

Summer flowers were attractively arranged throughout the Franklin house. The hostess presented the honoree with a personal gift.

Three tables were used for the players with the high score going to Mrs. Harry Whitworth and Mrs. Connolly won the bingo prize.

Delightful refreshments were served to the twelve players.

Miss Lucille Sprouse
Bride of Marvin Rogers

Beautiful in its simplicity was the wedding of Miss Lucille Sprouse daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Sprouse of this city and Marvin Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Rogers of Camp, Ark.

The double ring candlelight ceremony was solemnized Friday evening at 7 o'clock in the home of the bride's grandfather, Mr. R. K. Turtle of Texarkana, before the fireplace banked with greenery and floor baskets of white and pink gladioli and white asters interspersed with two seven branched candelabra holding lighted white tapers.

The Reverend Edward Harris, pastor of the First Methodist church of Texarkana officiated at the ceremony.

The bride was attired in a two piece white linen suit with a white chiffon blouse trimmed with white lace. She wore a halo of roses in her shoulder-length veil and carried a white Bible topped with a single white orchid with streamers of orange blossoms.

The bride's maid of honor was Miss Jean Bryant of Hope who wore a dress of gray linen with white accessories and a shoulder corsage of white carnations.

Mr. R. L. Purdie, uncle of the bride served the groom as best man.

Preceding the ceremony, Little Miss Clara Luckabee of this city lighted the candles. She wore a white plique dress and a band of pink and white fever-few in her hair.

The bride's mother wore a royal blue crepe dress with black accessories and pinned a corsage of pink carnations at her shoulder.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held in the dining room of the Purdie home. The bride's table was covered with a white damask cloth and held a centerpiece of pink and white fever-few in a low crystal bowl. Tall white tapers in low crystal holders were placed at each corner of the table.

The three tiered wedding cake topped with miniature bride and groom was served by Mrs. Clara Gresson of this city and the punch bowl was presided over by Mrs. Desman King of Texarkana. Mrs. Gresson wore a black linen dress with white accessories and a corsage of white carnations. Mrs. King chose a black crepe dress with black accessories and a shoulder corsage of pink carnations.

Mrs. R. L. Purdie presided over the bride's book. She was attired in an aqua crepe dress with navy accessories and a shoulder corsage of pink carnations.

The couple left for a two weeks vacation visit in Hot Springs, Eureka Springs and other points in north Arkansas, after which they will make their home in Hope where the groom is employed by the White Flooring and Lumber Company.

Out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Ira Davis and Mrs. Duol Chamberlain of Prescott, and Mrs. J. R. Beasley of Camden.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gaines and family and Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Purdie have returned from a three day visit at Bay View Cottages on Lake Hamilton in Hot Springs, Ark. They were joined Wednesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. James Gaines and family who returned home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Eubanks and daughter, Sharon Ann of Bonham, Texas will arrive Saturday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Hickman.

Scout Executive Oscar Cantwell and Mrs. Cantwell and sons Jerry and Larry of Texarkana were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Hickman.

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Miss Peggy McNoll will arrive Sunday after a visit with her former roommate, Mrs. William Jett in Little Rock and her roommate, Miss Harriett McGee in Malvern, Ark.

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News of the Churches

ST. MARK'S EPISCOPAL

The Rev. H. B. Smith will hold services at the Episcopal church at 9:30 a.m. Sunday.

FIRST PENTECOSTAL

Fourth and Ferguson

Rev. T. F. Ford, Pastor

Sunday School—9:45 a.m.

Morning worship—11 o'clock.

Young People's Service—6:30 p.m.

Evangelistic Service—7:45 p.m.

Tuesday, 2:30 p.m.—Ladies' Prayer meeting.

Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.—Choir practice.

Friday, 7:45 p.m.—Bible Study.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

5th at Grady Street

Lynn Browning, Minister

Bible Study, Classes for all ages

Sermon and Lord's Supper—10:50 a.m.

Young People's meeting—6:30 p.m.

Evening Worship—7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Bible Study for Ladies and Preschool children—10 a.m.

Wednesday, Bible Study, Classes for all ages—7:30 p.m.

Our aim is to be helpful and useful.

"For we preach not ourselves, but Jesus Christ the Lord; and ourselves your servants for Jesus' sake." (II Cor. 4:5) Come and see.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

300 East Second Street

Stephen Cook, Pastor

Sunday School—9:45 a.m. Jim Miller, Superintendent.

Worship—10:35 a.m. Sermon: "Taking Sides in the Treatment of Christ." The choir directed by Mrs. R. L. Gossell will sing "Beautiful Savior" arranged by Riegger.

Presbyterian Youth Fellowship—6:15 p.m. The film "My Name is Han" will be shown.

Worship—7:30 p.m. at the First Methodist Church. The Reverend Cook will preach on "Man; His Destiny and Devotion."

Tuesday, 7:30-8:15 p.m. Bible study.

A nursery is provided during the morning worship.

A church home for those away from home and a welcome to all.

FIRST CHRISTIAN

North Main at West Avenue B

Wm. P. Hardegree, Minister

9:45—Sunday School. We have classes for all ages. If you are not attending any other school, we cordially invite you to visit ours.

10:30—Morning Worship. Communion, and Sermon. The special music will be an anthem by the choir, "O God, Our Help." Our morning service will be broadcast on station KXAR.

7:45—Evening worship, Communion, and Sermon. The special music will be a continuation in the series on the Lord's Prayer. The special music will be by the choir, "On the Homebound Way."

Monday, July 19:

7:30—Beginning a week of morning devotionals over station KXAR.

3:30—The Women's Council will have its regular monthly business and missionary meeting at the church, Circle No. 2 will have charge of the missionary lesson.

Thursday, July 22, 7:45—Choir rehearsal.

HOPE GOSPEL TABERNACLE

Rev. H. Paul Holdridge, Pastor

You are always welcome at our friendly Hope Gospel Tabernacle.

We have Sunday School classes for all ages with competent teachers.

You will especially enjoy our singing and music under the direction of Rev. S. Joseph Gens, Educational Director for the church.

Sunday Services:

Sunday School—9:45 a.m.

Men's Bible Class—10 a.m.

Morning Worship—11 o'clock.

Christ's Ambassador Service—6:15 p.m.

Evangelistic Service—7:30 p.m.

The Gospel Hour Broadcast—10 p.m.

Tuesday: Christian Service Bridge—6:30 p.m.

Wednesday: Prayer and Bible Study—7:30 p.m.

Thursday: Women's Missionary Council—2:30 p.m.

Choir rehearsal, Thursday—7:30 p.m.

Friday, Prayer Service—7:30 p.m.

GARRETT MEMORIAL BAPTIST

N. Ferguson Street

D. O. Silvey, Pastor

Rock of Ages Broadcast—9 to 9:30 over KXAR from the church auditorium.

Sunday School—10 a.m. Grady Hairston, Superintendent.

Sermon—11 a.m.

Monthly singing—2:30 p.m.

B.T.C.—6:45 p.m.

The following program will be given in the church auditorium:

Theme: Shining Where You Are

Devotional: Mrs. Grady Hairston

The Light of the World—Bill Heard

Accordion and Piano Duet: Ruth Ellen Boswell and Mrs. Wade Warren.

The Place for the Light—Mrs. Clifton Booth.

Let Your Light Shine—Aurora Lou Hairston.

Duet: Danna Lou Cunningham and Janelle Warren.

Old Testament Characters Who Let Their Light Shine—Clifton Booth.

New Testament Saints Who Let Their Light Shine—Guy Watkins.

Quartet: Secular—7:45 p.m.

Ladies Auxiliary—2, Monday afternoon at the church. Mrs. Wade Warren, president.

Prayer meeting, Wednesday night—7:30 p.m. Dalton Dragoon in charge.

You are invited to these services. We want you to worship with us.

FIRST METHODIST

West Second at Pine

Rev. J. E. Cooper, Pastor

Church Service—9:45 a.m.

Morning worship—10 o'clock.

This will be a special Young People's service. Speakers will be: Dorothy O'Neal, Mary Anita Lester, Flossie Hartsfield, Gayle Foster, Betty Ann, Mary Hooper and Mary Sue Powers. They will give reports on the Summer camps they have recently attended.

Young People Meetings—6:30 p.m.

Evening worship service—7:30 p.m.

The members of the First Presbyterian Church will worship with us at the evening service. Sermon: "Man, His Destiny and his Devo-

DOROTHY DIX Problem of Widowhood

According to statistics women have a life expectancy of eight more years than men have, and this has led a scientist to urge them to pick out husbands younger than themselves in order to minimize the danger of being left lonely widows.

This is a most interesting suggestion of how to solve a perplexing problem, for it is a matter of common knowledge that the world is filled with widows, most of whom would like to remarry, but whose chances of reaching the altar again are slim unless they are lucky enough to be either rich or pretty.

So the plan of having women take out insurance against widowhood by marrying lads much younger than themselves is an inspiration, if only difficultly being whether the young men would prefer settled women to little playmates or wives. Unfortunately, the masculine taste seems to run to bobby-soxers as wives, instead of ladies who resemble their maiden aunts. And, generally speaking, it is only widows with pocketbooks who rate boy husbands.

But, be this as it may, in all good truth there is no other class of women in the world who are more pathetic than widows. And those who do not mean specifically all when they lose their husbands. There is the heart-breaking tragedy of widowhood a never-ending tragedy.

But not all widows who are left widows are overwhelmed with grief. Many a widow feels relief from being ground under the heel of a tyrannical husband.

Wants to Remarry
But while one would think that a woman who had had a mean husband would sing psalms of joy under her breath at being freed

from him, and that wild horses couldn't drag her to the altar again, the case, whether her marriage had been happy or not, the average widow wants to try it over again.

And the reason of it is that widowhood upsells all of her plans and habits that do not fit into a new environment, and she finds that her family are even more arbitrary and hard to get along with than her husband was.

The widow is supposed to be a free soul, but nothing could be further from the reality. If her husband has left her money, she becomes the target of all the holdup relatives she possesses and the victim of all the causes. Her sisters and her cousins and her aunts expect her to support all their children and send them to college. But no one has a house big enough to take in a poor widow and her children.

If the widow is young and pretty, no matter how discreetly she conducts herself she gets talked about. Because all widows are popularly supposed to be husband-hunters. Men run after them until they find that the widow has a child or two, then they flee in the opposite direction.

And what turns every widow's life into ashes and dust is loneliness. Nobody to cook for, meals for. Nobody to take them stepping out. Nobody to talk to. Nobody's shoulder to weep on. A dreary life, with nobody to laugh with you, or cry with you, or even touch with you. No matter that widows say "poor widow."

Well . . . I'm just about due on the tenth toe and I still have to change to my golf shoes. Important!"

"Very," Talent said. The grin had vanished from his eyes. Sterling led the way to one side of the foyer. When he indicated chairs, Talent said, "I guess we won't want to sit down. Been in earshot. 'Could we get somewhere to talk?'"

"You wouldn't know me," Talent said, glancing toward the desk. Johnny Geer, having taken over from young Bob Davis, was within earshot. "Could we get somewhere to talk?"

"Rev. Stephen Cook." Monday, July 19: There will be a union service of the Circles of the W.S.C.S. in the basement of the church at 4 p.m.

Tuesday, Choir practice at the church—7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST
Corner Third and Main Streets
S. A. Whitlow, Pastor

9:30 a.m.—Sunday school, H. E. Thrash, superintendent.

10:30—Morning worship with the message by the pastor.

6:40 p.m.—Training union, Vance Smiley, director.

7:45—Evening worship with the message by the pastor.

Monday:

4 p.m.—The Woman's Missionary Society will meet in circles this Monday.

4 p.m.—The Sunbeams meet at the church.

4 p.m.—Junior G.A.'s and Junior R.A.'s meet at the church.

Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.—The Fellowship Hour. The midweek worship for the whole family.

HOLLY GROVE METHODIST

C. V. Mashburn, Pastor

Sunday School at 10 a.m. led by Mrs. Maude Elliott, Supt. and taught by Mrs. Edna Worthey, Mrs. H. E. Sutton, and Lillian Roberts.

Evening services beginning at 7:30 with congregational singing and M.F.E. program, led by Betty Roberts and Elizabeth Worthey. The pastor will preach following this.

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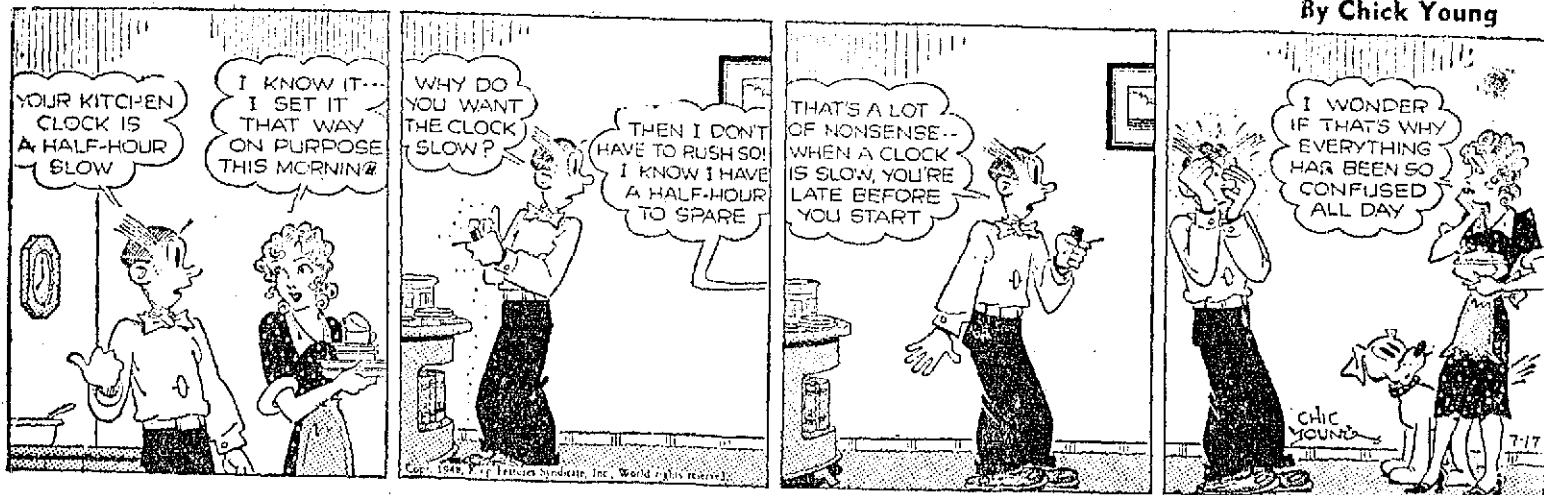
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By Chick Young

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By Roy Gatto

SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



"Sure, I remember you—you're the delivery boy I fired 30 years ago for losing bananas! Do you still like 'em?"

CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



"Now this number comes complete with a \$100 bail bond in case you happen to bump into some reactionary beach policemen!"

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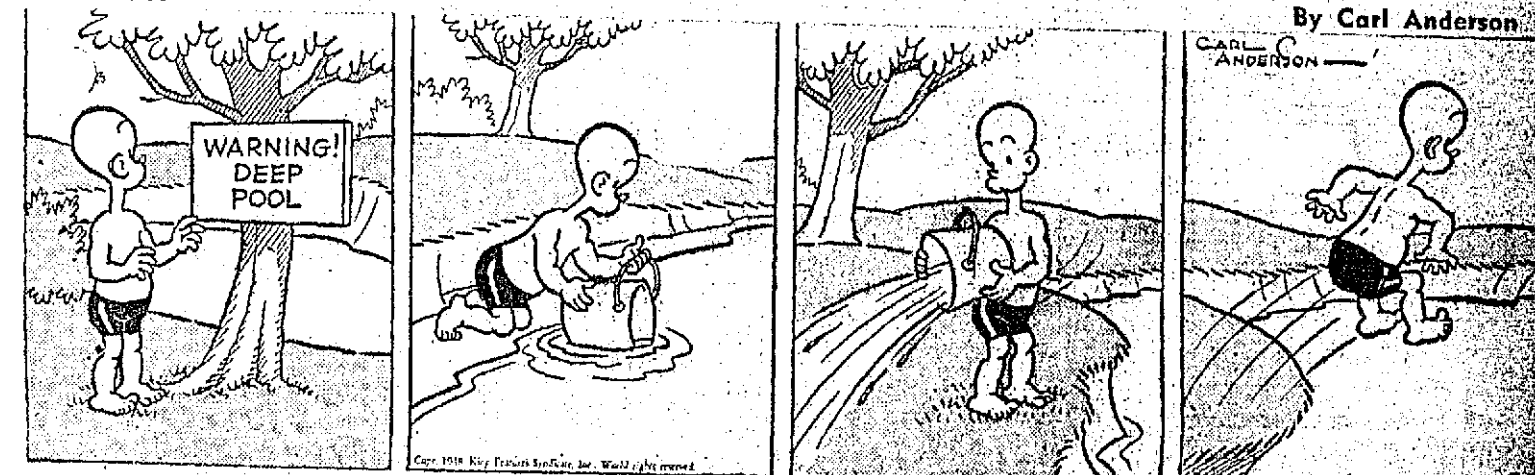
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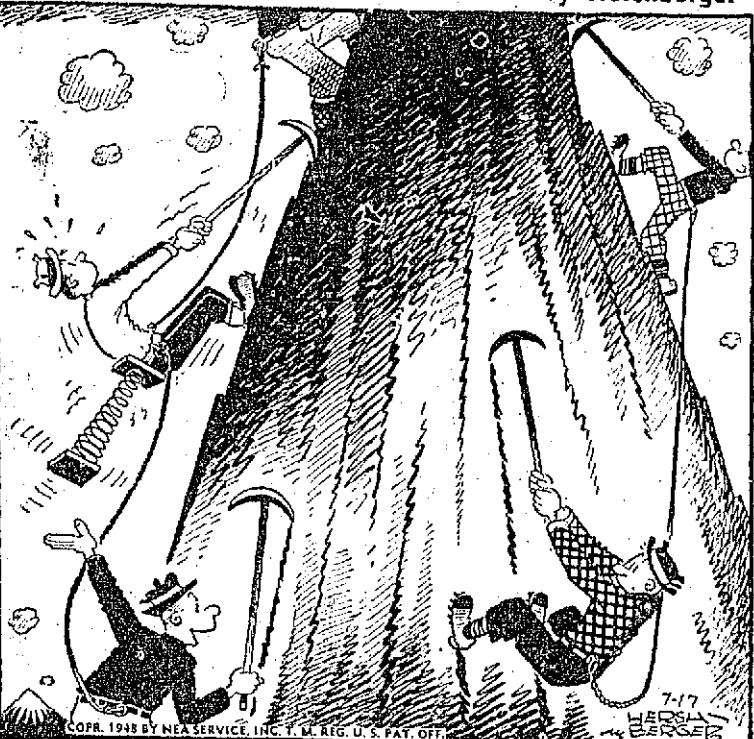
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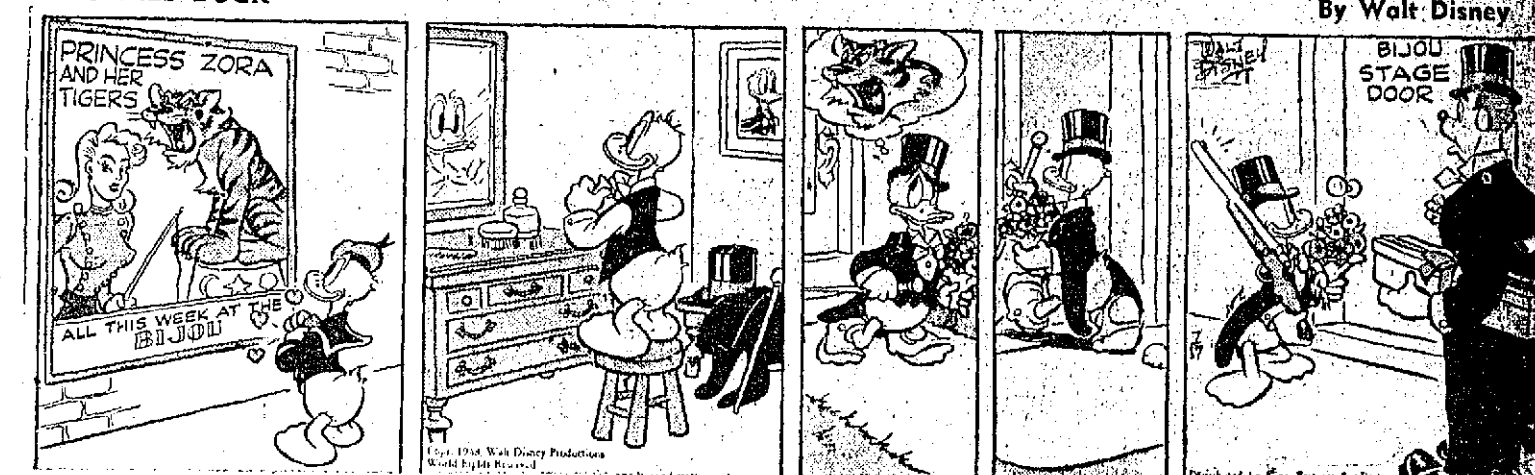
"He hasn't any too much confidence!"

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By Blosser



DONALD DUCK



By Walt Disney

ALLEY OOP



By V. T. Hamlin

POPEYE

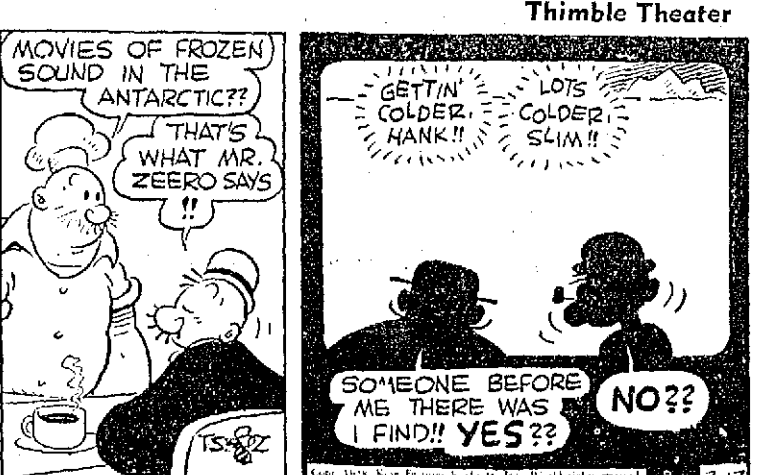


OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



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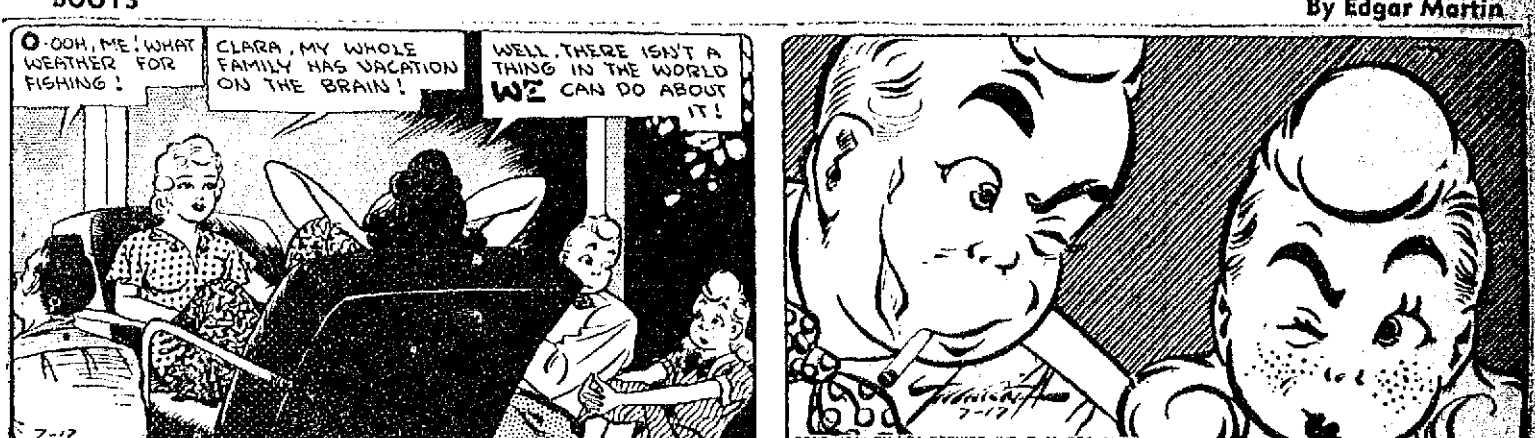


OUR BOARDING HOUSE

With Major Hoople

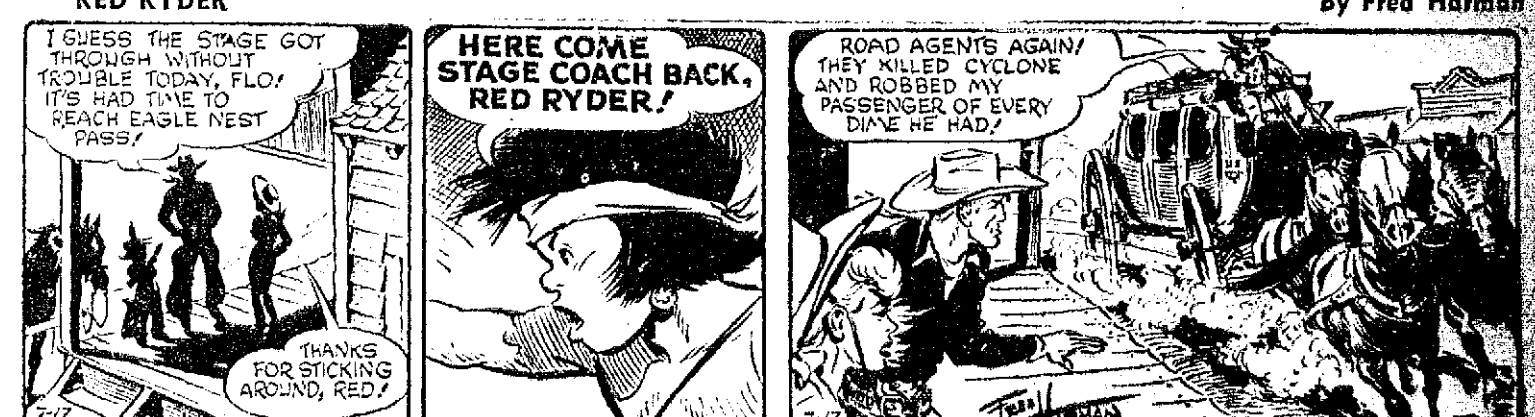


BOOTS



By Edgar Martin

RED RYDER



By Fred Harman

